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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Thomas Baumgartner et al

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Examiner:

Sharon E. Payne

Title:

DOMESTIC APPLIANCE AND SWITCH FOR

APPLICATION IN A DOMESTIC APPLIANCE

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Commissioner for Patents

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## **AMENDMENT B**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Final Office Action dated September 22, 2008, having a response due date of December 22, 2008, and is accompanied by a request for a three-month extension of time and a Request for Continued Examination. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.